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EGYPT CALLS UP POPULAR RESISTANCE, POPULAR ARMY

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(TEXT) CAIRO--ON THE ORDERS OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC, IT HAS BEEN DECIDED THAT THE POPULAR RESISTANCE FORCES AND THE POPULAR ARMY THROUGHOUT EGYPT SHALL JOIN THEIR COLLEAGUES, THE MEMBERS OF THE POPULAR RESISTANCE FORCES AND THE POPULAR ARMY OF THE WEST CANAL AREA, IN THE HONOR OF FIGHTING IN COHESION WITH AND IN SUPPORT OF THE HEROIC FIGHTING OF OUR GREAT ARMY AGAINST THE ISRAELI ENEMY. LESS THAN 1 DAY AFTER APPROVING THE UN SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION WHICH PROVIDES FOR A CEASE-FIRE COUPLED WITH WITHDRAWAL FROM THE OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORY, THE ENEMY HAS RETRACTED THIS APPROVAL.

THE PARTICIPATION OF ALL THE FORCES OF THE POPULAR RESISTANCE AND THE POPULAR ARMY FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTRY IN SHARING THE HONOR OF DEFENDING THE HOMELAND WILL FURTHER INTENSIFY THE ELEMENT OF EGYPTIAN SUPREMACY IN MEN WHICH ISRAEL FEARS, BESIDE BEING IN LINE WITH THE BELIEF OF ALL OF ALL OF US THAT THE BATTLE IS THE BATTLE OF ALL THE PEOPLE AND ALSO IN LINE WITH OUR NOBLE HISTORICAL TRADITIONS OF REPULSING BARBARIC INVASIONS WITH ALL THE MEN, MEANS, AND WEAPONS WE POSSESS. IT IS ALSO IN KEEPING WITH OUR LEGITIMATE RIGHT, WHICH IS SUPPORTED BY ALL THE PEOPLES AND FORCES WHICH LOVE FREEDOM AND PEACE BASED ON JUSTICE.

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